

Contact Lens Fitting Policy



Valley View
Vision Center

Date: / /

PATIENT NAME:

THE COMPREHENSIVE EYE EXAM

Before a patient can be fit with contact lenses, a complete medical and refractive eye examination is necessary. This exam is critical to assure the good health of your eyes and to rule out the possibility of any unsuspected, underlying condition that may prevent contact lens use.

CONTACT LENS FITTING

Contact lenses fitting process will include keratometry (corneal curvature measurements), tear film function and slit-lamp biomicroscopy analysis of the cornea and surrounding tissue. We will not finalize the contact lens prescription until both the patient and the doctor are satisfied with the fit and visual acuity with the contact lenses. **Dispensing of trial contact lenses may only be at the time of the original exam and scheduled follow-up visits when change is required or at the discretion of doctor.**

CONTACT LENS TRAINING SESSION

The patient will be provided with personalized instruction concerning the safe care and usage of contact lenses. Upon completion of successful insertion and removal, the patient may begin wearing the contact lenses and we will schedule the first follow-up appointment within one to two weeks.

ANNUAL CONTACT LENS EXAMINATION

A contact lens prescription is valid for one year unless unique conditions exist that vary that time. All patients are required to come in for an annual contact lens exam. This is necessary to assure that the patient's eyes are healthy and the contact lenses are still fitting well. **Contact lens prescriptions cannot be renewed without an annual exam.**

CONTACT LENS FEE POLICY

The fitting fee, which includes follow-up care within the first 90 days, is determined by the type of lenses prescribed and the difficulty of the fit. **THIS FEE IS NON REFUNDABLE AND DUE AT THE TIME OF SERVICE**

The fitting fee includes:

- The contact lens fitting
- Training Insertion & Removal of the contact lenses for new wearers.

The fitting fee doesn't include:

- The comprehensive medical and/or vision eye exam
 - Medical visits not directly related to contact lens wear
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There will be NO refund of the exam, fitting or annual contact lens examination fee. There is no additional charge for follow up visits during the first 90 days or first three follow up visits, whichever comes first.

I have read above contact lens fitting policy and I understand the wearing and care program for me.

Patient/Guardian's Signature_____

(Required for all contact lens patients under 18 years old. By signing below, patient's guardian understand the responsibilities involved with cleaning and handling contact lenses and agree to be responsible for their proper care.)

Please Print Name of patient/Guardian:_____

Date: ____/____/____